

(b) For the first three contours, figures are not available.

For 124' contour—846 acres and 24 guntas have been so far granted in the form of exchange lands.

(c), (d) and (e)—

Contour.	Cash per acre. Rs.	Land.
88' Dry ...	40 to 60	Dry 1: 1
Wet ...	400 to 500	Wet and Garden 1½ : 1
Garden ...	500 to 550	
106' Same as per 88 feet contour...		Do
120' Same as per 88 feet contour...		Do
124' Dry ...	40 to 60	Dry 3 : 1
Wet ...	350 to 450	Wet and Garden 3 : 1
Garden ...	450 to 500	

(f) Almost all the good lands were disposed of in the previous stages of acquisition. Hence, the ratio for awarding land compensation for plus 124' contour has been enhanced.

As regards cash compensation, the rates under plus 124' contour vary slightly due to fluctuations in the market value of the land.

(g)	Month.	Number of cases.
	June 1937 ...	38
	July 1937 ...	174
	August 1937 ...	64
	September 1937 ...	153
	October 1937 ...	75
	November 1937 ...	77
	December 1937 ...	89
	January 1938 ...	155
	February 1938 ...	124
	March 1938 ...	228
	April 1938 ...	303
	May 1938 ...	80
	June 1938 ...	7
	July 1938 ...	34
	August 1938 ...	186

(h) No.

(i) and (j) No appeal lies to Government.

MR. S. RANGARAMIAH (Mysore City Municipality).—

Q.—25. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it is a fact that Sheik Imam was a Motor Driver under the President of the Mysore City Municipal Council in the year 1936;

(b) whether his pay was shown in the toll *baraward*;

(c) if so, for what period;

(d) whether an interpellation on this matter was sent to the Municipal Council; the reply given to it?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT, DEPARTMENT.—

A.—25. (a) Yes.

(b) and (c) Yes, from 13-9-35 to 17-2-36.

(d) Yes. The interpellation with the reply is noted below : *

* Will the President be pleased to state :—

2. (a) Is one Sheik Imam a driver of the President ; if so, where was he before he came to Mysore City ?

(b) Has he not drawn his pay from the toll baraward ?

(c) If so, from how long ?

Replies.

} Not a municipal matter.

} One Sheik Imam was employed as a toll peon in the Municipality from 13-9-1935 to 17-2-1936.

MR. GURUNATHA KRISHNA NADIGA (Sorab Taluk).—

Q.—32. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is a fact that the Governments of India and Mysore have been following a joint programme of construction of bridges on the frontier ;

(b) if so, the bridges which have been constructed according to the programme so far ; the amount spent by the Mysore Government for the purpose ;

(c) the bridges whose construction has to be taken hereafter ; the estimated cost of the work ;

(d) whether any amount is ear-marked every year for the purpose of construction of bridges referred to above or whether funds are provided as each bridge work is completed ;

(e) whether the estimates are worked out according to urgency and importance or whether they are worked out according to any other consideration ;

(f) who selects the bridge works ; whether it is the Government of India or the Government of Mysore ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.—

A.—32. (a) There is no such joint programme, but the help of Government of India is being sought in the cases of frontier and other bridges which help to promote inter-provincial communications.

(b) The Vani Vilas bridge and the Ramanathapur bridge—Rs. 1,65,898 and Rs. 1,51,318, respectively.

(c) The bridge over the Tunga at Thirthahalli, at an estimated cost of Rs. 275 lakhs.

(d) Funds are provided in the budget as each work is sanctioned and taken up for execution.

(e) They are worked out according to urgency and importance.

(f) The Government of Mysore.

MR. GURUNATHA KRISHNA NADIGA (Sorab Taluk).—

Q.—33. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of unrestored major and minor tanks in the Shimoga District ;

(b) whether any definite programme is prepared for the execution of the tank works ;

(c) in how many years, these works are expected to be completed ;

(d) the number of major and minor tanks which were completely restored during the last year ; the amount spent thereon ;

(e) the number of tanks that are proposed to be taken up for restoration during the current year (particulars, talukwar and village-war to be given with the names of the villages) ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.—

A.—33. (a) Unrestored major tanks	...	...	43
Unrestored minor tanks	...	...	6,865